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REF: USDOC 19566

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5. EMPRESA ALVAREZ

6. P.O. BOX 100C; 1A. CALLE ENTRE 4A Y 5A. AVE,
COMAYAGUELA

7. TEGUCIGALPA, D.C.

8. CONTACT: JUAN JOSE ALVAREZ

9. TITLE: MGR.
OTHER OFFICIALS ARE: RICARDO ALVAREZ, PARTNER

10. PHONE: 226666 11. TELEX: N/A

12. CABLE: ALVA

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13. ESTABL: 1920 14. EMPL: 70 15. SIZE: MEDIUM

16. REPUTATION: Y-SATISFACTORY 17. RPT. DATE: 11/77

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23A. 37111/35 DIST AND IMP OF PASSENGER CARS

23B. 37111/35 DIST AND IMP OF TRUCKS

23C. 37141/35 DIST AND IMP OF PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

23D. 36210/35 DIST AND IMP OF MOTORS AND GENERATORS

24. FOREIGN SALES: LOCAL ONLY

25. FINANCIAL REFS: BANCO ATLANTIDA, 5A. AVE., TEGUCI-
GALPA.

26. TRADE REFS: INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER, CHICAGO, ILL.

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER, CO.,
CHICAGO, ILL.

28. POST EVALUATION: THIS FIRM, ALSO KNOWN AS SOCIEDAD
GENERAL DE COMERCIO, S.A. IS A CORPORATION WHICH
DISTRIBUTES MOTOR VEHICLES, PUMPS, GENERATORS, AND
CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY. IT WAS ESTABLISHED BY MR.
JUAN ALVAREZ, AND UNDER HIS DIRECTION THE FIRM WAS
VERY SUCCESSFUL. AT PRESENT, IT IS MANAGED BY HIS
SONS. SEVERAL U.S. FIRMS NOW REPRESENTED BY EMPRESA
ALVAREZ HAVE EXPRESSED DISSATISFACTION WITH THEIR
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SALES PROMOTION EFFORTS AND MAY EVEN WISH TO CHANGE
DISTRIBUTORS. LOCAL BANKING CIRCLES REPORT THE
FIRM'S CAPITAL AS \$US80,000 AND 1976 SALES AS
\$US1.1 MILLION. THOUGH THE FIRM SEEMS TO LACK
DYNAMIC MANAGEMENT IN ITS SALES PROMOTIONS, BANKS
REPORT A SATISFACTORY FINANCIAL REPUTATION. THIS
FIRM IS RECOMMENDED AS A SUITABLE TRADE CONTACT
FOR U.S. FIRMS FOR DIRECT SALES, HOWEVER, CAUTION
IS NEEDED WHEN CONSIDERING AN AGENT/DISTRIBUTOR
AGREEMENT.

29. PREP: J.J. ORTUNO APPR: M.KROMHOUT.
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